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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD:

CONTACT REPORT: Mr. Xhafer DEVA (DECADELY)

Time & Date of Contact: 1500 hours - 20 August 1958

Place: Hotel Statler, N. Y. C.

1. [ ] SE/PM met with Mr. Deva, our potential ZR NAUTILE/Albanian Principal Agent. Although Mr. Deva is anxious to serve as our Albanian Principal Agent, I cautioned him not to put all his eggs in one basket by assuming that our job offer was on a permanent basis. I impressed upon him the need for continuing his search for a position in private industry which would meet with his satisfaction both from the standpoint of salary and his future. I also cautioned him that he being accepted for employment with us is dependant upon the successful results of the polygraph and medical examinations.

2. Mr. Deva was told that should he successfully pass his polygraph and medical examinations, we then would sit down and draw up a formal contract for his signature. When Mr. Deva inquired as to what his monthly salary would be I answered that a specific amount had not been reached. However, I approximated his monthly salary to be in the neighborhood of \$200. -250. per month plus expenses as authorized by us.

3. Mr. Deva requested permission to visit his family in California. I told him that he was not under any obligation to us and therefore was free to pursue his own course. However, I emphasized that the trip was to be undertaken at his own expense. He agreed to this and said that he would await further word from me at his home on the West Coast. A letter will be sent to Mr. Deva requesting him to report to Washington on 14 September. A polygraph examination has been arranged for him on 16 September and a medical examination on 17 September.

4. Outside of operationally entertaining Mr. Deva, no funds were given to Subject.

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